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In the PATENT APPLICATION of:

Alpaslan Demir

Application No.: 10/6289,429

Confirmation No.: 6035

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**For: START-UP AUTOMATIC FREQUENCY
CONTROL (AFC) METHOD AND
APPARATUS**

Group: 2634

Examiner: Ted M. Wang

Our File: I-2-0368.1US

Date: March 17, 2006

REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.114

**Mail Stop Amendment/RCE
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This Reply is being filed in response to the Office Action dated October 17, 2005, and is filed in conjunction with an appropriate petition for extension of time. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is filed concurrently herewith. Please amend the application without prejudice or disclaimer as follows:

Applicant: Alpaslan Demir
Application No.: 10/629,429


Conclusion

If the Examiner believes that any additional minor formal matters need to be addressed in order to place this application in condition for allowance, or that a telephone interview will help to materially advance the prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned by telephone at the Examiner's convenience.

In view of the foregoing amendment and remarks, Applicant respectfully submits that the present application, including claims 22-24 and 27, is in condition for allowance and a notice to that effect is respectfully requested.

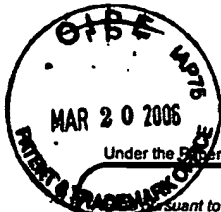
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FEE TRANSMITTAL

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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

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